



# ANGEL'S PUBLIC SCHOOL

## SAMPLE PAPER

PERIODIC TEST – I SESSION 2025 – 26

CLASS – VIII

TIME : 1 hr. : 30 min.

SUBJECT – SOCIAL SCIENCE

M.M = 40

### GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS:–

- (a) SECTION – A Comprises 5 Multiple Choice questions, each of one mark.
- (b) SECTION – B Comprises 5 Very short answer type questions, each of one mark.
- (c) SECTION – C Comprises 5 Short answer type questions, each of three marks.
- (d) SECTION – D Comprises 2 Long answer type questions, each of 5 marks.
- (e) SECTION – E Comprises Map work/ Diagram, each of five marks.

### SECTION – A

#### A. Multiple choice questions:

1. Which of the following is NOT a period in the Indian History as classified by James Mill?  
(a) Hindu (b) Muslims (c) British (d) Sikhs
2. A government school is a:  
(a) Private resource (b) National resource (c) International resource (d) None of these
3. Assertion(A): Resources must be kept clean and their use must be minimised.  
Reason(R): Sustainable development is the need of hour.  
(a) Both, A and R, are true and R is the correct explanation of A  
(b) Both, A and R, are true but R is not the correct explanation of A  
(c) A is true but R is false  
(d) A is false but R is true
4. India is the largest\_\_\_\_\_in the world.  
(a) monarchy (b) democracy (c) welfare state (d) Kingdom
5. The word secular was added in the Preamble to the Indian Constitution in\_\_\_\_\_.  
(a)1976 (b) 1968 (c)1949 (d)1986

### SECTION – B

#### B. Very short answer type questions:

1. What is untouchability?
2. What should be the duty of every citizen?
3. Name the three periods of history.
4. When was the Right to Vote granted?
5. Who started Dandi March?

### **SECTION – C**

#### **C. Short answer type questions:**

1. When did the modern age in India and in Europe begin?
2. Name the categories of resources based on ownership
3. Discuss the relevance of a constitution for a country.
4. Explain the preamble to the Indian Constitution.
5. Explain secularism in regard to India.

### **SECTION – D**

#### **D. Long answer type questions: (Attempt any two)**

1. Describe the contribution of any three sailors in the discovery of new sea routes.
2. How did secularism get translated into the law?
3. Why is sustainable development of resources required?

### **SECTION – E**

#### **E. Diagram**